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SUBJECT: LOS: MOSCOW G-5 MEETING, JANUARY 25-27

REF: MOSCOW 18481 (NOTAL) STATE 307572

1. FOLLOWING IS US DELEGATION TO G-5 MEETING, CONSISTING
OF EIGHTEEN PERSONS (INCLUDING EMBASSY REP). EMBASSIES
REQUESTED INFORM HOST GOVERNMENTS:

-- AMBASSADOR ELLIOT L. RICHARDSON, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE
OF THE PRESIDENT FOR THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE.
-- AMBASSADOR GEORGE H. ALDRICH, DEPUTY SPECIAL REPRESENTA-
TIVE OF THE PRESIDENT FOR THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE.
-- REAR ADMIRAL JAMES MORIN, JCS, MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE.
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-- MR. ALAN G. JAMES, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO AMBASSADOR
RICHARDSON.
-- MR. ALAN BERLIND, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF THE LAW OF THE SEA
NEGOTIATIONS.
-- MR. GEORGE TAFT, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF THE LAW OF
THE SEA NEGOTIATIONS.
-- MR. RONALD KATZ, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF THE LAW OF

THE SEA NEGOTIATIONS.

-- MR. JOHN ZEROLIS, OFFICE OF THE LAW OF THE SEA NEGOTIATIONS (SECRETARY OF DELEGATION).

-- MR. RAY MEYER, COMMODITY POLICY DIVISION, BUREAU OF ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS AFFAIRS.

-- MS. ELIZABETH G. VERVILLE, ASSISTANT LEGAL ADVISER.

-- PROFESSOR BERNARD H. OXMAN, CONSULTANT.

-- PROFESSOR LOUIS B. SOHN, CONSULTANT.

-- PROFESSOR THOMAS CLINGAN, CONSULTANT.

-- DR. VINCENT E. MCKELVEY, CONSULTANT (SEE PARA 2 BELOW).

-- MR. PETER TOMSEN, US EMBASSY, MOSCOW.

-- MS. MARGUERITE ZICCARDI, SECRETARY.

-- MS. JOANNE STESSALAVAGE, SECRETARY.

-- MS. LOUISE SAALFRANK, SECRETARY.

2. DR. MCKELVEY, CURRENTLY DIRECTOR, US GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, WILL RELINQUISH THAT POST ON JANUARY 15 AND, WHILE REMAINING THERE AS RESEARCH GEOLOGIST, WILL SERVE AS SENIOR SCIENTIFIC ADVISER TO THE US DELEGATION TO THE LOS CONFERENCE AND AS DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVE OF THE US. AN ANNOUNCEMENT WILL BE MADE AT AN APPROPRIATE TIME.

3. ENTIRE DELEGATION EXCEPT CLINGAN WILL ARRIVE MOSCOW FROM FRANKFURT ON PA 66 AT 1545 JANUARY 24. CLINGAN PLANNING FLY TO MOSCOW FROM TOKYO ON JANUARY 24. ENTIRE CONFIDENTIAL

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DELEGATION WILL DEPART MOSCOW ON JANUARY 28 EXCEPT FOR OXMAN, WHO WILL LEAVE ON JANUARY 27 ON AEROFLOT 255 AT 1005. FLIGHT NOS AND DEPARTURE TIMES FOR REST OF DELEGATION WILL FOLLOW SEPTTEL.

4. WE WILL NOW NEED ONE SUITE AND SIXTEEN SINGLES FOR THE DELEGATION, PLUS TWO ROOMS TO BE USED AS OFFICE SPACE IN THE SAME HOTEL WHERE AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON WILL BE STAYING.

5. DELEGATION WILL BRING ONE TYPEWRITER ON ASSUMPTION TWO ARE AVAILABLE FROM EMBASSY.

6. AMERICAN EXPRESS WAS DECIDEDLY UNENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR US. CONSEQUENTLY, TO COMPLEMENT EMBASSY'S EFFORTS WE HAVE ASKED SOVIET EMBASSY HERE TO ASSIST IN ENSURING THAT ADEQUATE HOTEL FACILITIES ARE MADE AVAILABLE AS DESCRIBED ABOVE. CABLE ON TRANSPORTATION REQUIREMENTS FOLLOWS.

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